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केन्द्र-शासित प्रदेश लद्दाख प्रशासन
ADMINISTRATION OF UNION TERRITORY OF LADAKH

DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND JUSTICE
UT SECRETARIAT

Order No: 18-LA (LD) of 2021
Dated: 08-10-2021

In accordance with the paragraph 6 of the Union Territory of Ladakh Resident Certificate Order, 2021, the Administration of Union territory of Ladakh hereby make the following procedure for the grant of Resident Certificate for the purpose of appointment to a non-gazetted post under the Union territory of Ladakh and matters related thereto:

1. Short title, extent and commencement. —

- (1) This Order may be called the Union Territory of Ladakh Grant of Resident Certificate (Procedure) Order, 2021.
- (2) It extends to the whole of the Union Territory of Ladakh.
- (3) This Order shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Definitions:- In this order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

- (a) “Administration” means the Administration of the Union territory of Ladakh.
- (b) “Competent Authority” means Tehsildar within his territorial jurisdiction or any other officer as may be notified by the Administration of Union territory of Ladakh from time to time for the purpose of issuance of Resident Certificate.
- (c) “Form” means a form appended to this Order.
- (d) “Order” means the Union territory of Ladakh Grant of Resident Certificate (Procedure) Order, 2021.
- (e) “Resident” means a Resident as defined in Union Territory of Ladakh Resident Certificate Order, 2021.
- (f) “Resident Certificate” means a Resident Certificate issued under paragraph 6 of this Order.

3. Persons eligible for grant of Resident Certificate.— Any person who fulfils the following conditions shall be eligible for grant of Resident Certificate by the Competent Authority:

- a) possesses a Permanent Resident Certificate issued by the competent authority in the districts of Leh and Kargil, or
- b) belongs to a category of persons who would have been eligible to be issued Permanent Resident Certificate by the competent authority of the districts of Leh and Kargil, or
- c) children of persons possessing a Permanent Resident Certificate issued by the competent authority in the districts of Leh and Kargil or children of persons who belonged to a category of persons who would have been eligible to be issued Permanent Resident Certificate by the competent authority in the districts of Leh and Kargil:

Provided that a person holding Domicile or Resident Certificate or such other certificate by whatever name called of any State or any other Union Territory shall not be eligible for being Resident of Union Territory of Ladakh.

4. Application for grant of Resident Certificate.— (1) Any person who is eligible for grant of Resident Certificate may apply to the Competent Authority for grant of Resident Certificate in Form ‘A’, either physically or electronically online (as may be made available by the Administration).

- (2) In case of minors and persons suffering from any disability, application for grant of certificate, appearances and other acts may be done by their appointed guardians.
- (3) Every application made under paragraph 4(1) and 4(2) shall be accompanied by such documents as are prescribed under this order. The application shall also be accompanied by Self-Declaration as to the correctness of the statement made by the applicant.

5. Class of Persons, Documents required, Authority Competent and Appellate Authority for issuance of Resident Certificate.— (1) Persons eligible for Resident Certificate under paragraph 3, categories whereof are specified in Column – II shall apply to relevant Competent Authority as specified in Column III along with documents specified in Column IV against each category for issuance of Resident Certificate as indicated in table below:

| I | II | III | IV | V |
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| S.No | Category of Resident | Competent Authority for issuing the Certificate | Documents to be annexed with application | Appellate Authority |

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| 1. | Permanent Resident Certificate holder. | Tehsildar. | 1. Permanent Resident Certificate of the applicant. 2. Birth certificate from Registrar of Death/Birth or School Leaving Certificate/High School Certificate. 3. Government issued Photo Identity Card (Driving Licence/EPIC/Passport/PAN/Aadhaar Card/School-College ID Card). | Deputy Commissioner. |
| 2. | Children of persons possessing Permanent Resident Certificate. | Tehsildar. | 1. Permanent Resident Certificate of father. Or 2.* a) Certified copy of extract of Misal-e-Haqiyat Jamabandi/Shajra Nasab prior to 1944-AD. b) In case of landless/nomads, record of Khacharai: 1908-09 AD. c) Certified/attested copy of the current voter list. Copy of the voter list of 1951/1957, if required. 3. Current Revenue record viz. Jamabandi/Shajra Nasab. 4. Birth certificate from Registrar of Death/Birth or School Leaving Certificate/High School Certificate. 5. Copy of Ration Card. 6. Government issued Photo Identity Card (Driving Licence/EPIC/Passport/PAN/Aadhaar Card/School-College ID Card). | Deputy Commissioner. |
| 3. | Persons who would have been eligible to be issued Permanent Resident Certificate by the Competent Authority. | Tehsildar. | 1. Permanent Resident Certificate of father/brother/husband. Or 2.* a) Certified copy of extract of Misal-e-Haqiyat Jamabandi/Shajra Nasab prior to 1944-AD. b) In case of landless/nomads, record of Khacharai: 1908-09 AD. c) Certified/attested copy of the current voter list. Copy of the voter list of 1951/1957, if required. 3. Current Revenue record viz. Jamabandi/Shajra Nasab. 4. Birth certificate from Registrar of Death/Birth or School Leaving Certificate/High School Certificate. 5. Copy of Ration Card. | Deputy Commissioner. |

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| | | | 6. Government issued Photo Identity Card (Driving Licence/EPIC/Passport/PAN/Aadhaar Card/School-College ID Card). | |
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*The documents mentioned at serial number 2 are to be provided in case the applicant does not possess the Permanent Resident Certificate mentioned at serial no. 1

Note: All applications will be made in a prescribed application form where self-declaration/undertaking shall be taken regarding correctness of the information and attached certificates.

- (2) Any person aggrieved by an order of Competent Authority shall file an appeal before the Appellate Authority as specified in column V:

Provided that the Appellate Authority shall decide the appeal after providing an opportunity of being heard to the parties.

6. Grant of Resident Certificate.— (i) After holding such enquiry as the Competent Authority may deem expedient and on the basis of documents furnished by the applicant under paragraph 5, the Competent Authority shall either issue Resident Certificate in Form 'B' to the applicant bearing his seal and signature or reject the application within a period of 15 working days:

Provided that if the Resident certificate is neither issued nor rejected within the specified time period, the applicant may prefer an appeal before Appellate Authority who shall, after affording opportunity to the Competent Authority, decide such appeal within a period of 15 days either accepting or rejecting such appeal:

Provided further that in case the applicant succeeds in his appeal, the Appellate Authority shall direct the Competent Authority to issue Resident Certificate within a period of 07 working days.

(ii) The Competent Authority can also issue Resident Certificate electronically, as may be made available by the Administration.

7. Revision.— The Appellate Authority may, Suo Moto or on an application made to it, call for records of the proceedings taken, or orders made, by any Competent Authority for purposes of satisfying itself as to the legality and propriety of such proceedings or orders and may pass such order in reference thereto as it deems fit;

Provided that no order shall be made against any person without affording him a reasonable opportunity of being heard.

8. Interpretation.— If any question of interpretation of any of the provisions of this Order arises, the decision of the Administration in the General Administration Department thereon shall be final.

By the order of the Lieutenant Governor.

(Preet Pal Singh)
Administrative Secretary
Department of Law & Justice

No: Secy/L&J/UTL/2021/711-721

Dated: 08-10-2021

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3. Secretary to Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, Union Territory of Ladakh
4. Deputy Commissioners, Leh/Kargil.
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FORM- A
Resident of Ladakh Certificate
(See paragraph 4)

To

The Tehsildar/Competent Authority,
Subject:- Grant of Resident Certificate in favour of
Mr/Miss/Mrs _____
S/O, D/O W/o. _____
R/O _____

Sir,

Kindly issue Resident Certificate in my favour on the following grounds which are totally correct to the best of my knowledge.

1. That I am resident of Ladakh as defined in paragraph 4 of the UT of Ladakh Resident Certificate Order, 2021.
2. That I am not holding Domicile or Resident Certificate or such other certificate by whatever name called of any State or any other Union Territory
3. That I have not migrated nor attained citizenship of any foreign country.
4. That my forefathers have been residing in Ladakh prior to reorganisation of the erstwhile State of Jammu and Kashmir.
5. That I have not obtained the said Resident Certificate from anywhere so far.
6. That I am permanent Ration holder of _____.
7. That I am married/un-married yet.
8. That I have produced two witnesses who will identify and attested my claim.
9. That I have changed the place of residence from _____

10. That I am real _____ of _____
Whose PRC is enclosed.

11. That I have enclosed the following documents as proof in support of my claim:

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____
- 5) _____
- 6) _____
- 7) _____
- 8) _____

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In light of the above facts, I request that the requisite certificate may be issued in my favour.

Dated _____

Yours faithfully,

Self-Declaration

I _____ S/O,W/O,D/O Sh _____ age _____
R/O _____ verify as

under:

- i. That the above contents are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and nothing has been concealed therein.
- ii. I further affirm that-
 - a. I am aware that in case the information furnished above is found to be incorrect, I shall be liable for prosecution under section 177 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860.
 - b. I am aware that providing any false information shall be punishable under section 177 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 which provides simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

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| Date: _____ | Signature of Applicant:- (Parents Signature in case of Minor) | |
| Place: _____ | | |

FOR OFFICE USE

OFFICE OF THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY

1. Application No: _____
2. Dated of receipt of Application _____
3. Name of the official along with designation who received the application form

Form-B
(See paragraph 6)
Administration of Union Territory of Ladakh
(Office of the Tehsildar/Competent Authority.....)

RESIDENT CERTIFICATE

Certificate No. _____

Dated: _____

This is to certify that Shri/Smt/Kumari _____ son/daughter/wife _____ resident of _____ Village/Street _____ Post Office _____ District _____ of UT of Ladakh, Pin Code _____ Aadhar No. _____ whose photograph is attested below is a resident of Union territory of Ladakh.

2. That the applicant is eligible in terms of the para 5 of the Grant of Resident Certificate (Procedure) Order, 2021.

Recent passport
Size photograph
of the applicant with
stamp and seal of
Tehsildar/Competent
Authority

Signature with seal of Tehsildar/Competent
Authority _____

Name _____
Designation _____

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